

**Education and Emerging Technologies and Communication Committee Meeting
August 24, 2006**

Meeting Attendees: Dan Dursky, IDED; RJ Hellstern, IVH; Dianne Smith, Board of Regents; Steve Nicoll, Voc Rehab; JoAnn Naples, DNR; Laura Roeder-Grubb, Human Rights; Margaret Munson, IUB.

Based on information from a prior meeting, the meeting began with a discussion of I/3 as an option. After a review of some recent emails from Lois Schmitz and JoAnn Naples, the members present decided to look at other options for hosting the RFP library. There are too many questions and unknowns at this time to move forward with I/3 as an RFP library that would be accessible and easy to use.

Don Dursky reported that IDED is currently hosting the Targeted Small Business (TSB) database where notices of bids are posted, and after much discussion, those present decided to do a prototype on a test server to see how this might pan out. The TSB system currently contains more bidding requests than the GSE Bidding Opportunities page (all bids, not just the larger dollar values). The TSB database also retains historical entries.

Other topics that were mentioned as part of this initiative are looking at the naming of RFP's where a best practice might need to be recommended to the CIO.

Steve Nicoll and RJ Hellstern will be adding some of their RFP's to the test server when available, so we can have some recent documents to search as well as some existing.

Current plans are to move forward with the test server and some prototype work by members of the committees, either via email or we'll set another meeting, if necessary.

Meeting adjourned at 3:15.